1. (Original) A method of interpreting a document using a processor, a memory, and a television, the method comprising:

identifying the document as comprising a compiled hypertext markup language (CHTML) document;

reading a color palette from the document, the color palette specified in a YUV format;

reading a plurality of display elements from the document, each of the plurality of display elements specifying a corresponding absolute position, each of the plurality of display elements corresponding to one or more hypertext markup language (HTML) tags in a source document from which the CHTML document was compiled;

and rendering each of the plurality of display elements on the television at the corresponding absolute position.

- 2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of display elements includes at least one of a line element, a rectangle element, and a circle element.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of display elements includes at least one link element, the link element including a uniform resource locator (URL) of a corresponding linked item.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of display elements includes at least one image element, the image element corresponding to a color palette bitmap image in the CHTML document.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of display elements includes at least one text element, the text element including a font, a size, a style, and a color, the text element occupying no more than one line on the television.

- 6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of display elements includes at least one Java class element.
  - 7. (Previously presented) A system, the system comprising: a communication medium; a television;

and a set top box, the set top box coupled to the communication medium and the television, the set top box capable of receiving a compiled hypertext markup language (CHTML) document over the communication medium, reading a plurality of display elements from the document, each of the plurality of display elements specifying a corresponding absolute position, each of the plurality of display elements corresponding to one or more hypertext markup language (HTML) tags in a source document from which the CHTML document was compiled, and rendering each of the plurality of display elements on the television at the corresponding absolute position.

8. (Original) An apparatus for interpreting a document for a television, the apparatus comprising:

means for identifying the document as comprising a compiled hypertext markup language (CHTML) document;

means for reading a color palette from the document, the color palette specified in a YUV format;

means for reading a plurality of display elements from the document, each of the plurality of display elements specifying a corresponding absolute position, each of the plurality of display elements corresponding to one or more hypertext markup language (HTML) tags in a source document from which the CHTML document was compiled;

and means for rendering each of the plurality of display elements on the television at the corresponding absolute position.